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For: ORGANIC LIGHT-EMITTING DEVICE WITH MEANDERING ELECTRODE SURFACE,
AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SAME

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)(1)

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed foreign references is attached.

Reference JP 2003-257662 was cited in an Office Action mailed April 24, 2009 in a counterpart Taiwanese application. The remaining documents listed on Form PTO-1449 were cited in a Search Report dated May 8, 2009 in corresponding European Application No. 03817792.9. A copy of the Search Report is enclosed.

Also attached is a Notification of Reasons for Refusal, together with its English translation, issued in corresponding Japanese Application No. 2005-507412. The documents cited in the Notification have been submitted previously, including US 2003/0062520 corresponding to JP 2003-115377 referred to in the Notification.

The above information is presented so that the Patent and Trademark Office may, in the first instance, determine any materiality thereof to the claimed invention. See 37 C.F.R. 1.104(a) and 1.106(b) concerning the PTO duty to consider and use any such information. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that these references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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